

BAPTISTS MEET IN ANNUAL SESSION

Twenty-Fourth Convention Is Opened at Roseburg—Four Day Program.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., Oct. 20.—The Twenty-fourth annual convention of Oregon Baptists opened in the Baptist church in this city yesterday evening. The meeting was precluded Tuesday afternoon by a meeting of the general board of directors, which prepared reports for the closing year's business and church growth, for presentation to the convention. The sessions will close Friday evening. There will be a convention banquet on Thursday evening, given by the ladies of the Christian church. Following is the program for the four days, in detail:

Tuesday Evening.
7:30—Devotional service, conducted by Rev. A. B. Walts, Portland.
7:45—Address, "The Mission of the Holy Spirit," Rev. I. N. Monroe, Portland. Discussion opened by Rev. M. R. Thompson, Independence.
8:30—Annual sermon, "The Ministry of Reconciliation," II Cor. 5:18, Rev. S. A. Hayworth, Oregon City.

Wednesday Morning.
8:30—Devotional service, conducted by Rev. C. R. Lamar, Talent.
8:45—"The Christian Minister" (address, 15 minutes). (1) "As Preacher, Proclaiming the Gospel," Address, Rev. C. L. Owen, St. Johns. Discussion, Rev. J. D. Hacker, Central Point.
9:15—(2) "As Fisher: Gaining decision for Christ." Address, Rev. W. H. Olson, La Grande. Discussion, Rev. A. B. Minaker, Portland.
9:45—(3) "As Shepherd: Visiting and Caring for the Flock." Address, Rev. G. L. Hall, Medford. Discussion, Rev. W. Thurston, Sellwood.
10:15—(4) "As Teacher: Instructing in Christian Truth." Address, Rev. O. C. Wright, Eugene. Discussion, Rev. F. C. Lovett, Grants Pass.
10:45—(5) "As Doctor: Using the Law of the Mind." Address, Rev. J. R. Comer, M. D., Salem. Discussion, Rev. G. A. Martell, McMinnville.
11:15—(6) "As Social Worker: Moulding Community Life." Address, Rev. R. Schwedler, Portland. Discussion, Rev. A. E. Patch, Portland.
11:45—Business: election; offering.

Wednesday Afternoon.
1:30—Bible reading: "In Christ: 1. Sainthood in Christ," Ephesians 1:1-2, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
2:15—Business: Report of committee on program; appointment of committees.
3:00—"Our Denomination": (1) "History and Heritage," Rev. E. H. Hicks, Ashland.
3:00—(2) "Modern Missions," Rev. C. A. Wooddy, D. D., Portland.
3:30—(3) "Denominational Developments," Rev. J. W. Brougher, D. D., Portland.
4:00—Discussion.
4:20—Church finances: General discussion, conducted by Rev. F. E. Dark, Portland.
4:30—(1) "How to Produce Individual Responsibility," (2) "What Methods Are Most Successful?"

Wednesday Evening.
7:30—Praise and prayer service, conducted by Rev. J. C. Havner, Grass Valley.
8:30—Welcome, Mayor E. V. Hoover, M. D., Roseburg; Rev. W. H. Eaton, Roseburg; response, Rev. O. C. Wright, Eugene.
8:30—Annual sermon: "The Triumph of Christianity," Matthew 24:14, Rev. C. P. Bailey, Prineville.

Thursday Morning.
8:30—Bible reading: "In Christ: 2. Choose in Christ," Ephesians 1:3-9, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
9:15—"The Business of Baptists." (1) "The Foreign Mission Society," Rev. A. M. Petty, Los Angeles.
10:15—(2) "The Oregon Convention." (a) Reports from the field, five minute talks: "Central Association," Rev. S. A. Douglas, Albany; "Eastern Association," Rev. M. M. Bledsoe, Klamath Falls; "Grande Ronde Association," Rev. W. H. Gibson, La Grande; "Middle Association," Rev. C. P. Bailey, Prineville; "Rogue River Association," Rev. F. C. Lovett, Grants Pass; "Umatilla Association," Rev. R. E. Storey, Pendleton; "Umpqua Association," Rev. E. G. O. Groat, Cottage Grove; "West Willamette Association," Rev. P. C. Stannard, Newberg; "Willamette Association," Rev. J. P. Hancock, Portland; "Portland," Rev. J. Bentzien, Portland.
11:15—(b) Report of board, Rev. P. C. W. Parker; (c) Report of treasurer, James P. Failing; (d) Discussion.

Thursday Afternoon.
1:30—Bible reading: "In Christ: 3. Purpose of Christ," Ephesians 1:10-14, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
2:15—"The Business of Baptists." (1) "The Foreign Mission Society," Rev. J. A. Whitney, McMinnville.
2:30—(2) "The Women's Societies," (a) "At Home, Mrs. J. F. Failing, Portland; "The Importance of Junior Work," Mrs. W. C. Smith, Montaville; "A Call to Our Young Women," Mrs. J. A. Clarke, McMinnville; "The Relation of Women's Societies to Northern Baptist Convention," Miss C. O. Mills, Eugene; (b) "Abroad," Mrs. M. D. Briggs, Portland; "Aims of Oregon Society," Mrs. J. W. Loder, Oregon City; "Work of the Society of the West," Mrs. H. D. Gates, Portland.
4:15—(3) "The B. Y. P. U.," J. C. Nelson, Newberg; "Modern Call to the Young People," Rev. A. M. Petty, Los Angeles.
5:30—Banquet, Rev. J. W. Brougher, D. D., Portland, toastmaster; at the Christian church. Tickets 25 cents. Secure tickets in advance so that a number to be present can be known.

Thursday Evening.
7:30—Praise and prayer service conducted by Rev. D. E. Baker, Lebanon.
7:45—"The Business of Baptists," (continued). (7) "The Brotherhood," "The Call to Laymen," H. W. Stone, Portland; Honorable O. P. Coshaw, Roseburg.
8:30—Sermon, Rev. J. W. Brougher, D. D., Portland.

Friday Morning.
8:30—Bible reading: "In Christ: (4). Responsibility in Christ," Ephesians 1:17-19, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
9:15—Bible reading: "In Christ: (5). Responsibility in Christ," Ephesians 1:17-19, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
9:30—"Christian Education." (1) "Our Summer Assembly," "Shall It Be Ours?" Rev. W. T. Jordan, Portland. Discussion.
10:00—(2) "Our Sunday Schools," "Better Things," "Grading, Teaching, Superintending." Discussion led by Roy Hackett, Grants Pass. "Organized Classes—Their Value and Successful Methods." Discussion led by S. S. Johns, Myrtle Creek.
11:00—(3) "Our Paper," "With Emphasis on Our" Rev. J. A. Clarke, D. D., McMinnville.
11:15—(4) "Our Seminary," Rev. A. M. Petty, Los Angeles, Cal.
11:35—(5) "Our Colleges," Rev. L. W. Riley, D. D., McMinnville.

Friday Afternoon.
1:30—Bible reading: "In Christ: 5. Prayer in Christ," Ephesians 1:16-23, Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
2:15—"Evangelism." Conference conducted by Evangelist H. Wyse Jones.
2:45—"Revival Evangelism," address, Rev. W. T. Jordan, Portland. Discussion, Rev. J. C. Havner, Grass Valley.
3:45—(3) "Personal Evangelism," address, Rev. J. Bentzien, Portland. Discussion, Rev. E. A. Smith, Astoria.
4:15—"Church Extension: How Extend the Influence of Our Churches in the Regions About them." "What a Pastor or Missionary Can Do," Rev. F. C. Stannard, Newberg. "What a Layman Can Do," F. L. Bunting, Portland. "What a Church Can Do," Rev. W. H. Eaton, Roseburg.

Friday Evening.
7:30—Praise and prayer service, conducted by Rev. J. F. Day, Springfield.
7:45—Business.
7:45—Sermons: "Saved," Rev. H. S. Black, Portland.
8:15—"Saved to Christlikeness," Rev. J. R. Comer, M. D., Salem.
8:45—"Saved to Serve," Rev. E. H. Hicks, Ashland.

Portland Students Seek Coveted Honor
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Willamette University, Salem, Or., Oct. 20.—Two Oregon men, Ralph McKee of McMinnville and Seth Thompson of Portland, formerly of the University of Wisconsin, are taking the Rhodes scholarship examinations at Eaton Hall, Willamette university, today. The examinations commenced yesterday and will be concluded today. The subjects on which the examinations are held are Latin, Greek, algebra and geometry.

Notarial Commissions.
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Oct. 20.—Notarial commissions have been issued to W. R. Wilkinson, Bend; Leroy H. Smith, Portland; A. B. Horning, Seaside; H. F. Burleigh, Astoria; R. V. Joss, C. P. Olson and Carl B. Wintler, Portland; H. O. Purinton, Hillsboro; W. F. Nichols, Falls City.

BAD CONDITIONS TWO LICENSES SAID TO EXIST ARE ALLOWED

Municipal Association Will Take Matter Up With Officials.

At a meeting of the Municipal association last night it was decided to appoint a committee which should call on the mayor, chief of police, district attorney, and probably the sheriff, to ask these officials to enforce the law in the establishment of criminal resorts and to assist in stopping the great increase of immorality in Portland.

The meeting was held behind closed doors and the various reports which were brought in gave every evidence of a general opening up and increase along all immoral lines. Not only was it shown that conditions are quite as bad as they ever were in the north end, but that houses of an immoral nature have been established in the southern portion of the city near Front and Market streets, and are known as "the new restricted district." It was also asserted that the number of men who are being supported by women of questionable reputation is increasing and becoming more open. Some of those present who are said to be familiar with existing conditions went so far as to state that some of the officers of the city had let it be known that they did not disapprove of the spread of immoral establishments.

It has been further ascertained that gambling is opening up again and the boxing match scheduled in the near future is taken as another evidence of the downward moral trend. It is claimed that the same men are behind the coming matters that were responsible for the old prize fighting and that these matches are only the beginning of the return of the old days. In fact, conditions show that the undesirable who were compelled to leave the city have been returned in swarms and are all operating at their old trades. How to put an end to existing conditions is the question before the Municipal association, and it is to this end that D. A. Pattullo, president of the association, will today appoint a committee to visit the executive officials of the city.

There was some talk of a mass meeting of citizens to plan improvements, but the necessity of such a meeting is not anticipated, as the members have every confidence that the mayor and other officials will do their duty in the matter.

A new board of directors of the association was elected last night as follows: D. A. Pattullo, Miller Murdoch, W. E. Edwards, John Patterson, Dr. S. A. Brown, Dr. Omeron Royal, O. M. Scott, John Bain, J. T. Wilson, O. P. M. Jamison, W. L. Johnson and Charles E. Lenon.

MACHINISTS GET INCREASE IN PAY

Committee Reaches Compromise With Railroad Officials.

A compromise has been reached by the committee from the machinists' union of the O. R. & N. and the operating department of the railroad whereby the machinists are given an increase in pay and some changes in shop rules, and threatened strike has been called off.

The terms agreed upon by General Manager O'Brien and the committee of machinists include a 2 1/2 cents an hour increase and shorter hours, and are practically the same concessions granted the machinists by the operating department of the Oregon Short Line and other Harriman lines.

The request for more pay was signed by practically all the machinists in the employ of the railroad and a strike would have resulted in a serious tieup.

TOLL INSTRUMENTS IN PUBLIC PLACES

Preparations are being made by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company to substitute toll telephones for all public telephones, heretofore free, in the city. The new rule applies primarily to drug and department stores, where already many of the new instruments have been installed. C. E. Hickman, commercial manager of the telephone company, today denied that a petition looking toward the substitution of pay stations for free instruments had been circulated, but gave out a statement to the effect that the company planned to replace many of the public telephones with toll instruments.

"Many of the public telephones carry more than 300 calls daily, under the free system," said Mr. Hickman. "It is not only a hardship on the telephone company, but on the subscriber. Practically every business man who heretofore operated a free public telephone, has welcomed the new system. The work of substituting the pay instruments for the free telephones has already begun."

ASKS TO HAVE CASES COME UP MONDAY

Attorney L. B. Reed and Paul B. Powers, who took a watch, turquoise pin and \$30 from Attorney Daniel Powers, as a joke, they say, were up in municipal court this morning, and asked that their case go over until Monday. Their pleas will not be heard until Monday.

Charges of assault with intent to rob, carrying concealed weapons, and after hours now stand before them. That the case will be hard fought is evident by the array of legal talent. Deputy District Attorney Hennessy persists in treating the case as if it were a genuine holdup, and will insist upon severe punishment. The two young men continue to say they were only joking.

Klickitat Tax Levy.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Bristol, Wash., Oct. 20.—The 1909 tax levy for Klickitat county as just fixed by the board of county commissioners, aggregates 11.88 mills for all county purposes, which will produce a revenue of \$97,059.32. The state levy is 6.32 mills to yield \$55,531.54. On this basis \$12,227.77 will be raised for state and county purposes by a levy of 18.8 mills. The special road district levies range from 2.7 mills in No. 5 to 7.5 mills in No. 2. The levy for District No. 11, which includes Bristol, Bingen, Blaine and Cook is 4.3 mills to produce \$1574.68. The special school levy for this district, No. 64, is two mills.

St. Johns Council Reaches Decision at Long Session.

The Liquor License committee of the St. Johns council has approved the applications for license of Sherman Cochran and Thomas Glover, both of whom were in business there prior to the closing down of the saloons last June. This action was taken after the adjournment of the council last night. The licenses are given with the express understanding that should the people vote the town dry at the election next April, as they have a right to under the amended city charter, the licenses are to be surrendered and the unearned portion of the \$1200 license fee returned.

This clause was determined on during a two-hour executive session in which some hot moments were noticed. Councilman E. R. Brown was especially worked up and gave his fellow councilmen some hot shots, advising them, so it is said, to be either men or mice, and grant the licenses straight to all comers who had the price or lie down altogether and grant no permits at all, but after much jangling they finally got together with the above result.

While the preliminary work of the council was going on a poorly attended meeting was being held in the Evangelical church at which a committee was appointed headed by Rev. C. F. Gates to call on the council and request that no licenses be granted until the legality of the case could be decided in the supreme court. Mr. Gates made the request, but it evidently fell on deaf ears. If granted, it would have virtually given a monopoly of the business to Sam Cochran.

There still remains one license to grant under the ruling of the council, one for each 1200 or "major" fraction thereof and this will likely go to E. O. Magoon, in case he secures a suitable location, although F. Kircher & Co. also have an application in.

It has been hinted that the city ordinance under which the licenses have been granted has been doctored without the knowledge of the council by the introduction of the word "major" fraction. Parties claiming to be posted say it originally read "one license for each 1200 inhabitants or fraction thereof." This is thought to be immaterial, but might mean one saloon less if the prohibition people had a mind to split hairs.

LABORER TAKES WAR PATH WHEN CASHIER HOLDS UP HIS DRAFT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 20.—E. K. Coles, a laborer, fractured the peace and quiet of the California National bank this morning and nearly fractured the ribs of Paying Teller Ammon Clay when he was informed that he would have to get somebody to identify him before he could cash a draft for \$500 which he had received from an estate in the east.

Coles became insulted when informed of this banking rule, especially since J. Pierpont Morgan's name was printed on the check and his own written as E. Kinsley Coles. He picked up a heavy shotwell and shied it at the teller. Clay ducked and intercepted the missile with his short ribs. Coles aimed a vicious kick at a man in the lobby who tried to stop him, and after a chase was landed in jail.

HOTELS TO EMPLOY "DEAD BEAT" CHASERS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Oct. 20.—The executive committee of the Western Hotel Men's association has decided to employ the Thiel Detective agency to handle the work of the association, particularly in regard to tracing down the "dead beats" and protecting the hotels against people of that character.

The association at its second annual convention here last week empowered a committee to consider the various propositions put forward by the different detective agencies with the view of providing protection for the hotels against the class of persons who prey upon them.

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